

# CHAPTER 1

## INTRODUCTION

### 1-1. Scope

This manual tells and shows how to prepare and rig the following series of medium tactical vehicles for low-velocity airdrop from a C-130, C-141, C-5, and C-17 aircraft:

- a. M1081, 2 1/2-ton cargo truck.
- b. M1093, 5-ton 6 x 6 cargo truck.

### 1-2. Special Considerations

**CAUTION: Only ammunition authorized by FM 10-500-53/TO 13C-18-41 may be airdropped.**

- a. The loads covered in this manual may include hazardous material as defined in AFJAM 24-204/TM 38-250.
- b. A copy of this manual must be available to the joint airdrop inspectors during the before- and after-loading inspections.

### 1-3. Recommended Changes

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